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Republicans victorious at county level

Republicans took seven of the nine Fulton county offices up for election Tuesday. They include, front row left to right, Sonja Easterday, county council; Lorie Hurst, county treasurer; Kathy Siders, county council; Judy Reed, county auditor and Sherry Fulton, county commissioner; and back row, Christopher Sailors, county council and Roger Rose, county commissioner. Democrats captured the offices of Judge of the 41st Circuit Court won by A. Christopher Lee and county coroner won by M. Darin Beeker.

Unofficial Fulton County Election Results

President – **John McCain (R) 5145**; Barack Obama (D) 3700; Bob Barr (L) 154
 Governor – **Mitch Daniels (R) 5308**; Jill Long Thompson (D) 3491; Andy Horning (L) 247
 Attorney General – **Greg Zoeller (R) 4960**; Linda Pence (D) 3794
 Supt. of Public Instruction – **Tony Bennett (R) 4964**; Richard D. Wood, 3594
 U.S. Representative 2nd District – **Luke Puckett (R) 3131**; **Joe Donnelly (D) 5632**; Mark Vogel (L) 215
 State Senator District 18 – **Randall Head (R) 5107**; Linda Klinck (D) 3722
 State Representative District 16 – **Douglas L. Gutwein (R) 4450**; Bill Reutebuch (D) 3478
 State Representative District 23 – **William Friend (R) 606**
 Judge of Circuit Court – Richard A. Brown (R) 3346; **A. Christopher Lee (D) 5572**
 County Auditor – **Judy Reed (R) 5452**; Kathy Briney (D) 3407
 County Treasurer – **Lorie L. Hurst (R) 5505**; Dawn Ziemek (D) 3202
 County Coroner – Margo Layman (R) 3663; **M. Darin Beeker, 5164**
 County Commissioner 1st District – **Sherry S. Fulton (R) 5540**; Scott Meneely (D) 3014
 County Commissioner 3rd District – **Roger D. Rose (R) 4701**; Steve Sanders (D) 4007
 County Council at Large – **Christopher D. Sailors (R) 5240**; **Kathy L. Siders (R) 5920**; **Sonja Easterday (R) 4843**; Matthew Sutton (D) 4259; David G. Clark II (D) 3313



Thomas Overmyer honored

Former Kewanna resident Thomas Overmyer has been named Alumnus of the Year at Huntington College. The announcement of the award was made by Margaret Roush, director of alumni relations, during homecoming ceremonies October 4. Other honorees included Christian Elden, Young Alumnus of the Year; and Bradley and Vanessa Johnson, who received the university's Distinguished Alumni citation. Overmyer, a 1971 graduate, is the founder and president of Prescience, Inc., a consultant business for the biotech/pharmaceutical industry in Barrington, Illinois. He was lauded for his contribution to the pharmaceutical breakthroughs and the positive way he has represented his alma mater. Overmyer has worked with several significant pharmaceutical breakthroughs. At Upjohn Company, these included Orinase, Tolinase, and Micronase, the leading drugs to treat diabetes at that time. At Glaxo Pharmaceuticals, he served as the product manager for Zantac, the first billion-dollar pharmaceutical product, and another blockbuster drug called Zofran used to treat nausea and vomiting associated with chemotherapy. While at Bristol-Myers Squibb, he trademarked Taxol, the leading anti-cancer agent in the world. In addition, during his time at Nycomed-Amersham, he worked with the first radioactive systemic pharmaceutical product called Metastron, used to treat the

Tom Overmyer is shown here accepting the Alumnus of the Year Award from Huntington College. Pictured with him are Dr. G. Blair Dowden, left, president of the university, and to Tom's right are Margaret Roush, director of alumni relations, and Constance Potter, member-at-large on the alumni association board of directors.

painful metastases resulting from prostate cancer.

Christian Elden, a 2002 alumnus, is employed by Warner Press, a Christian resource publisher in Anderson. His responsibilities include creating and developing products and marketing materials such as catalogs, brochures, church bulletins, classroom resources and illustrations for children's materials. He is also a strong advocate for Huntington University, having referred several prospective students to the institution.

The Johnsons were honored for their mission work and commitment to impact their world for Christ. The Johnsons moved to Haiti to become full-time missionaries in 1998 and established Mission of Hope, an organization that employs 160 full-time Haitian staff members. Mission of Hope includes the School of Hope, Hope House Orphanage, Village of Hope, Church of Hope and Hospital of Hope. The U.S. office for the ministry is in Lee's Summit, Missouri.

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Send In Your News

Annual soup and sandwich luncheon, November 14

The Kewanna United Methodist Women will host their annual soup and sandwich luncheon and bake sale Friday, November 14, in the church annex at 111 E. Pearl St., Kewanna.

The bake sale will open at 8 a.m. and will include homemade noodles. Homemade cinnamon rolls, coffee and tea will be available for your morning coffee break or breakfast.

Sandwiches, soups and desserts will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Everyone is urged to attend and enjoy the homemade cuisine while visiting with friends and neighbors.

A few rummage sale items will also be available.

Proceeds from the event will help the women meet their mission obligations.

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United Ministries taking applications for Christmas baskets

United Ministries is currently accepting applications for its 2008 Christmas basket project. Applications are available at the Food Pantry office, RSVP office, Webb's Drug Store, Fulton County Public Library, Quick Clean Laundry, Grace United Methodist Church and Lady Bug Laundry, all in Rochester; The Observer in Kewanna; Webb's Drug Store in Akron; and Fulton County Library branches in Leifers Ford and Fulton.

The deadline for submitted applications is November 28. The Christmas baskets will be delivered Saturday, December 20.

Headquarters for the Christmas basket project will be set up in the Everett Smith Building at the Fulton County 4-H Fair Grounds from December 9 through 19. Volunteers will be on hand from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. during the week and 9-11 a.m. Saturday to accept donations of toys and non-perishable food. Boxes for food and toy donations will also be placed at various businesses and churches. Monetary donations are also being accepted. These can be mailed to United Ministries Christmas Baskets, P.O. Box 531, Rochester, IN 46975.

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Veterans Day ceremony at Caston

Caston Jr./Sr. High School will host a Veterans Day ceremony Tuesday, November 11, at 9 a.m. Area veterans are invited to attend the event. Those planning to be present should RSVP by calling 574-857-3505. The ceremony will include recognition of the veterans in attendance, a color guard, patriotic music and guest speakers who have served in Iraq and Afghanistan.

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The News In Brief

Democrat Barack Obama defeated Republican John McCain Tuesday to become the 44th president of the United States.

All Fulton County government offices will be closed Tuesday, November 11 in observance of Veterans Day.

The Better Business Bureau has received a call from a business office saying a woman called identifying herself as "Jackie". The business said that "Jackie" wanted to give them a bid for a lower credit card rate and would need a credit card number and checking account number. Keep in mind that the person calling could use any other name besides "Jackie" and that a legitimate business will never ask for personal information that was unsolicited.

The Energy Assistance office is now open in the Rochester Community Center offering help with heat and electric bills for low-income households. Help is given first to those with disconnect notices, who are already disconnected or are low or out of LP gas. For more information or an appointment, call 574-223-7649.

Stock markets in Hong Kong, South Korea and Japan surged by double digits last Thursday, after the U.S. Federal Reserve cut interest rates to help revive the economy and opened new credit lines with central banks. Most Asian markets were up again Monday.

Fire heavily damaged Beacon Credit Union in Rochester Friday evening. The fire is believed to have started in the break room. Damage was estimated at \$300,000, but the files and money were not damaged.

Crude oil prices fell below \$63 a barrel Tuesday after more evidence of a U.S. recession piled up.

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Fish and chicken fry at VFW

The James F. Talbott VFW Post #1121 on Railroad Street, Kewanna, will serve a fish and chicken fry from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday, November 7. The cost of the meal is \$7 for adults and \$4.50 for children 6-12. Children under five years of age may eat free.

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Recycling Dates
 Thurs., Nov. 6th
 and Nov. 20th

Clubs Societies Personals



Open house planned for Florence Kruger

Former Kewanna resident Mary "Florence" Kruger will celebrate her 100th birthday at an open house from 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday, November 15, in the club house of the Senior Citizen Village, 2626 George St., Logansport. Friends and family are welcome to attend. It is requested that gifts be omitted.

Florence was born November 15, 1908, in Medaryville to Fred and Grace Hengel. She was married December 23, 1933, to Raymond Kruger who passed away in November of 1980. They lived in Kewanna most of their married life where she was a cook at Kewanna Schools for 26 years.

Florence is a member of the Church of Christ, Kewanna. She moved to the Senior Citizen Village in Logansport in 1995 where she still resides.

Florence has one daughter, Delores Woolington, Indianapolis; one son, the late Larry Kruger; one daughter-in-law, Karen Kruger of Brownsburg; four grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren and one great-great-granddaughter.

Cards may be sent to her at 2626 George Street, Apt. 402, Logansport, IN 46947.

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Local couple to observe 70th anniversary

Forrest and Elnora Baker, Kewanna, will observe their 70th wedding anniversary, November 11. Baker and the former Elnora Yoder were married November 11, 1938, in Delphi by Rev. Wilbur Day.

The couple is retired from farming. Their family consists of a daughter, Karen Good and her husband, Joe, Kewanna; a son, Bruce Baker, and his wife, Denise, Grass Creek; four grandchildren, Kelly Smith and her husband, Mark, Kewanna; Jeff Good and his wife, Tonya, Indianapolis; Ryan Baker and his fiancé, Leslie, Avon; and Daniel Baker and his wife, Andrea, Lucerne; eight grandchildren, Sami, Lindsey, Jeffrey, Tosha, Kara, Allie, Zachary and Devin; and one great-grandson, Shayne.

The couple would appreciate cards and letters from family and friends. Correspondence can be sent to them at P.O. Box 463, Kewanna, IN 46939.

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Youth group meets

Millie Redweik

The St. Luke Lutheran Church youth group met October 23 in the church's social room. Amy Gudas Burgess led the group in a Bible study emphasizing the importance of the commandment to "honor your mother and father". She discussed the problems families have and how to solve those problems by being good listeners and being slow to speak and become angry. She also told the youth that trust is a "two-way street" between parents and children and that to gain trust you must be trustworthy, ask forgiveness and show a desire to change.

Leaders Amanda Kistler and Cindy Gudas announced that the

youth are selling soy candles. Persons wishing to purchase candles should contact Ben Gudas, Tyler Abbott, Clark Gudas, Taylor Tripenfeldas, Michelle Gudas, Quest Fritz, Merissa Fritz or Becca Gudas.

The youth group will serve a dinner of soup, sandwich and salad at 5 p.m. November 8, prior to the Saturday evening church service.

The youth group will have a movie time at 7:30 p.m. with snacks available.

The meeting was closed with prayer and a reminder to all to honor their parents.

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BIRTHS



MADISYN LYNN DOUGLASS
Josh and Tiffany Douglass, Brazil, are the parents of a daughter born at 6:45 a.m. Saturday, October 25, 2008. She

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weighed 7 pounds and 8 ounces, was 19½ inches long and has been named Madisyn Lynn. Her grandparents are Jeff and Mindy Douglass, Kewanna; Kathy Douglass, Twelve Mile, and Becky Zaring, Greencastle. Her great-grandparents include Don and Nancy Douglass, Kewanna; J Herrold, Kewanna, and Phylliss Scott, Fort Myers, Florida.

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**AREA FIVE MENU
Kewanna Fire Station**

Monday, November 10 - Cheeseburger sandwich, corn, green beans, apricots and milk
Wednesday, November 12 - Pork loin, peas, squash, fruit cocktail, oatmeal bread and milk
Friday, November 14 - Ham and cheese potatoes, peas & carrots, stewed tomatoes, pears, roll and milk

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Attend Church Sunday

Leaders Amanda Kistler and Cindy Gudas announced that the

Kewanna United Methodist Church
FALL SOUP & SANDWICH LUNCHEON & BAKE SALE
Friday, Nov. 14th

OPENING at 8:00 a.m.

MENU - Chili & Vegetable Soup; Sloppy Joes; Hot Dogs; Sloppy Dogs; Dessert and Drinks...

Sandwiches Soups and Desserts Served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

A Few Rummage Sale Items...

Health Bites *from the heart of the staff of Woodlawn Hospital*

Simple Steps to Prevent Colds & other Catchy Illnesses

The days are getting shorter, temperatures are dropping, and the cold and flu season is beginning. With more of us spending time indoors, it's easier for germs to spread.

As infected people sniffle, sneeze and cough, cold viruses spread through droplets of mucus that enter the air. Surfaces like tables, doornobs, and stair railings can play host to live cold viruses for up to two hours, and bacteria can remain on surfaces for up to three days. To increase your odds of making it through the season virus-free, be proactive with healthy habits and good hygiene.

- ✓ No matter your age, keep current with immunizations. You should also get an annual flu shot and, if necessary, a pneumococcal vaccine.
- ✓ Prevent the spread of germs by frequent and thorough hand washing. Never touch your mouth, nose, or eyes without first washing your hands.
- ✓ Avoid sharing food and drinks, as well as personal items like toiletries, towels, and pillows.
- ✓ Disinfect, disinfect, disinfect! To keep catchy infections contained, use a common disinfectant on household hotspots like phones, remote controls, appliance and door handles, toilet seats, computer keyboards, and toys.
- ✓ To improve resistance and boost your immunity, make sure to get proper rest, good nutrition and adequate exercise.

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HOSPITAL NOTES....

WOODLAWN HOSPITAL
 October 27
 Admissions - Isabella Malpica, Rochester
 Dismissals - Rebecca Lee and son, Fulton; Joseph Oliver and Rebecca Blickenstaff and son, Rochester
 October 28
 Admissions - Edith DePoy, Winamac
 Dismissals - Isabella Malpica, Rochester
 October 29
 Admissions - Beulah Cox, Rochester
 Dismissals - none published
 Births - Josh and Jessica Bridge, Logansport, a son
 October 30
 Admissions - Laura Williams, Rochester
 Dismissals - none published
 Births - Ryan and Keesha Clark, Claypool, twin sons
 October 31
 Admissions - none published
 Dismissals - Edith DePoy, Winamac; Beulah Cox, Rochester

PULASKI MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
 October 24
 Admissions - Lewis Sparkman, Winamac
 Dismissals - Valentine Reinhold, Monterey
 October 25
 Admissions - Teresa Boucher, Idaville; Wendy Vondrasek, Star City
 Dismissals - none
 October 26
 Admissions - Bettye Bonnell, Star City; Roby Conley, Medaryville
 Dismissals - none
 October 27
 Admissions - none
 Dismissals - Ann Frangello, Knox
 October 28
 Admissions - Caitlin Shidler, North Judson; Donna Holcomb, Ora
 Dismissals - Teresa Boucher,

Idaville
 October 29
 Admissions - none
 Dismissals - Roby Conley, Medaryville; Mary Deyoung, Monticello; Caitlin Shidler, North Judson; Bettye Bonnell and Wendy Vondrasek, Star City; Donna Holcomb, Ora
 October 30
 Admissions - Amber Starr, Winamac; Landin Minix, North Judson
 Dismissals - Lloyd Kline, Winamac
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DEATHS



ESTHER L. RUDE

Rites were conducted at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, November 1, in the Harrison-Metzger & Rans Funeral Home, Kewanna Chapel, for Esther L. Rude, 85, Kewanna. Pastor Scott Meneely officiated and burial was in the Kewanna Citizens IOOF Cemetery. Mrs. Rude died at 2 a.m. Tuesday, October 28, 2008, at Pulaski Health Care Center, Winamac. Born November 16, 1922, in Akron, Ohio, she was the daughter of the late Russell and Bertha Lidgard Jump. She was married September 8, 1940, in Winamac to Wilber J. Rude. He preceded her in death on January 27, 1993. A 1940 graduate of Winamac

High School, Esther was a homemaker and also formerly worked for United Telephone Company in Kewanna and Winamac and at the Mar-Lo Restaurant in Kewanna. She was a member of the Kewanna Church of Christ, former Kewanna Saddle Club, Kewanna Mothers Club and Pinhook Grange. She enjoyed singing with the church choir and spending time with her grandchildren.

Survivors include two sons, Stephen Rude and his wife, Donna, Rochester, and Joe Rude and his wife, Juanita, Kewanna; ten grandchildren, Michael, Thomas, Andy and Charles Rude, Derek, Whitney and Drew Brockus, and Jesse, Darius and Sadie Rude; eight great-grandchildren, Shanda, Zachary, Jacob, Coleman, Bill, Jimmie, Josh and Olivia Rude; and one great-great-granddaughter, Myli Rude. Memorial contributions may be made to the Kewanna Church of Christ, Box 337, Kewanna, IN 46939. Online condolences may be made to the family at www.harrisonmetzger.com.
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WILLIAM D. INGRAM

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, November 2, in Frain Mortuary, Winamac, for former Kewanna resident William (Bill) D. Ingram, 69, of Francesville. Pastor James Ketchen officiated and burial was in Barnett Cemetery, Kewanna. Bill passed away at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, October 29, 2008 at St. Vincent Heart Center of Indiana in Indianapolis.

Born October 12, 1939, at Kewanna, he was the son of the late Charles Lee and Lillian Nelson Ingram. He was married November 27, 1970 to Mary A. Hoover, who survives.

A sheet metal mechanic, Bill had lived in Francesville since 1990, moving there from Beaufort, North Carolina, where he had lived for 12 years. He enjoyed woodworking, fishing, mushroom hunting, bird watching and reading. He also had a passion for gardening and his yard. He spent much of his free time building blue bird houses and placing them throughout the area.

Survivors besides his wife, Mary, include two daughters, Tonya Gillikin and her husband, Eric, of Beaufort, North Carolina, and Trina Samuels and her husband, Mark, Lafayette; two grandsons, Travis Bartram, serving in Mosul, Iraq, and his wife, Melanie of Copperas Cove, Texas, and Tyler Bailey, Lafayette; two granddaughters, Tasha Castro and her husband, Justin, of Oak Harbor, Washington, and Brittany Bailey, Lafayette; three great-granddaughters, Autumn Menard, Nevaeh Bartram and Serinity Bartram, all of Copperas Cove, Texas; one sister, Shirley Bussert, Kewanna; and one brother, Jay Ingram and his wife, Marsha, of Indianapolis. He was preceded in death by his parents; one daughter, Kimberly K. Ingram; and three brothers, Woody, Richard and Don Ingram.
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EDUARDE E. LEAZENBY

Edward E. Leazenby, 83, Newaygo, Michigan, died Sunday, November 2, 2008. Born January 27, 1927, in Kewanna, he was the son of Ezra

and Ida Weiger Leazenby. He was married June 27, 1989 to Elinda Ryan, who survives.

Leazenby had been employed as a salesman for Purty Cylinder Gases for 37 years prior to his retirement. He was a member of the Sportsman Club of Newaygo and a life member of VFW Post #4249 where he was a past post commander, all state commander and recipient of the first "White Hat" at the post. He loved fishing, hunting, horseshoes, euchre and a good meal.

Surviving besides his wife are his children, Edward "Bud" Leazenby and his wife, Donna, of Wisconsin, Gary Leazenby and his wife, Patricia, of Illinois, Dennis Leazenby and his wife, Laura, of Arizona, Heidi Shook of Newaygo, Michigan, Royce Day and his wife, Mary, of Virginia, Kelly Day and his wife, Cathy, of Sparta; 11 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; one brother, Albert Leazenby and his wife, Shirley, of Indiana; one sister, Lillian Webster, of Indiana; one brother-in-law, Floyd Ryan and his wife, Tena, of Muskegon; one sister-in-law, Robin Speese of Newaygo and several nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Private family services will be held. Memorial contributions may be made to the Parkinson's Association. Online condolences can be left at www.lifestorynet.com. The Clock Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.
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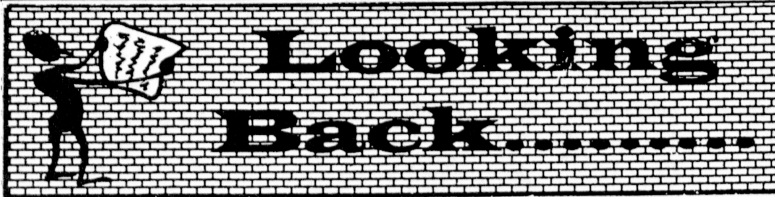
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SIXTY YEARS AGO November 4, 1948

John Bauman entertained at a wiener roast last Thursday evening at his home. Guests were Gene Wilson, J. Masteller, Larry Anderson, Ronnie Talbott, Larry Kruger, Billy Perkins, Gene Starr, Bill and Bob Witham, Fred Hines, Larry Mason, Larry Murhling, Dale Kubicki, Delores Kruger, Charlotte Warfield and Dorothy Hubeny.

The Social Club was entertained Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Guy Urbin, assisted by Mrs. Don Foglesong. Two clever contests were enjoyed with prizes going to Mrs. Grace DeVault and Mrs. Monroe Culp.

The Wayne Friendly Club surprised the Cecil Fields family with a walk-in party last Monday evening. Thirty-six persons enjoyed an evening of bingo with prizes going to Mrs. Joe Burns and Mr. Raymond Minthorn.

FIFTY-FIVE YEARS AGO November 6, 1953

Andrew Kuhn, Robert Herrold and LeRoy Crippen picked corn for Mrs. Herman Denton Tuesday.

Elaine Larkin Rans was the guest of honor at a bridal shower Sunday afternoon. Hostesses were Mrs. Grace Stingley, Alice Stingley and Saraette DeWitt. Games were enjoyed with prizes going to Pat Kumler, Mrs. Tom Larkin and Elaine Rans.

A/2c Herbert McIntire of Fort Knox, Kentucky, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oval McIntire and Ben, Rt. 2, Kewanna.

Mrs. Ruby Talbott, Kewanna, has returned to her home from Memorial Hospital in Logansport where she underwent surgery for the removal of a goiter.

The Pinhook Grange, IOOF Lodge, friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Lincoln Burton Monday to pick his corn. Burton is recovering after having a piece of steel removed from his eye.

David Joe and Carol Sue Huffman, children of Mr. and Mrs. David Hill, are confined to their home with the mumps.

Susan Seidel, Susan Heinsen and Annie Heinsen celebrated

their birthdays, which are only a few days apart, by hosting a Halloween party Saturday in the Seidel garage for a number of their friends.

FIFTY YEARS AGO November 6, 1958

The second factory to come to Kewanna in the past year hopes to start operating Monday, November 10, in the Loyd Woolington building that used to house the Rice Corp. of Winamac. This enterprise, the Johnson Metal Products Company, has been operating in Reynolds, near Monticello, but needed more space than could be found in that town.

Willard Clark, Kewanna, Democrat candidate for Fulton County sheriff won his race by a tremendous 2,375 vote margin in last Tuesday's election. The Republicans took all other county offices.

Terry Troutman and Vivian Montz were crowned king and queen of the Halloween Carnival at Kewanna High School Friday evening. Dick Carlson and Susan Seidel were chosen prince and princess.

Bob Greer, Rt. 1, Kewanna, was burned with hot water Sunday evening when a hose burst in the milk parlor throwing the hot water in his face.

FORTY-FIVE YEARS AGO November 7, 1963

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Frasa, Kewanna, are the parents of a daughter born at Pulaski Memorial Hospital.

The annual Kewanna Progressive Association banquet was held Monday evening in the local school with 100 businessmen, their wives and guests present. Heading a group of visitors from the Rochester Chamber of Commerce were Burke Miller, president, James Zimmerman, secretary, and Ray Myers, mayor. The guest of honor was Laura Hilficker, 1963 Kewanna Harvest Festival queen.

Woody Ingram has opened a furniture store in Kewanna. Hours are 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekdays and 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday.

The Mothers Club met Friday in the home of Mrs. Louise Masteller with Ms. Dorothy Hizer

as her co-hostess. After the business meeting, Mrs. Bill Masteller of South Bend showed slides from Bendix concerning missiles.

The Mar-Lo Restaurant in Kewanna was the scene of a farewell party Sunday evening given by 60 friends and neighbors of Ernie and Esther Mund who are leaving soon to make their home in California.

FORTY YEARS AGO November 7, 1968

Kewanna's popular meeting place, the R&N store, has changed ownership. Raymond and Dorothy Warfield have purchased the business from Ray and Nellie Knicker and took over the operation this week.

A meeting of the Yahtzee Club was held in the home of Mrs. Ethel Arbuckle at Lake Bruce. The door prize was won by Mrs. Hazel Franklin.

Mrs. Chester Smith, Rt. 3, Kewanna, fell and fractured her left arm while helping to put a couple of horses in the barn.

Rod Hattery and Wendy Hogan were crowned king and queen of the local Halloween carnival Wednesday evening in the Kewanna gym. David Smitley and Nancy Clyde were chosen prince and princess.

THIRTY YEARS AGO November 2, 1978

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at the Harrison Garden Chapel in Royal Center for Rex E. Murray, 76, of Logansport. Rev. Edwin Helm officiated and burial was in the Idaville cemetery.

The Fulton Baptist Church will commemorate its 125th anniversary Sunday, November 6. Dr. Ed Heinzman of Liberty Baptist College in Lynchburg, Virginia, will be the guest speaker for the occasion.

Members and former members of the Welcome Neighbors E.H. Club celebrated the group's 30th anniversary at its October meeting. Present for the occasion were Ann Zartman, Phyllis

Fields, president of the E.H. county council, Louise Fisher, Jane Green, Ruby Baldwin, Mildred Kreamer, Nancy Evers, Alice Sisinger, Mary Biber, Wilma Zuck, Helen Whiteman and Artha Kreamer.

Jeff Hubeny, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hubeny, was named outstanding citizen for Kewanna High School by the Manitou Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution for 1978.

TWENTY YEARS AGO November 3, 1988

Marvin L. Gilliland of Rochester has been appointed postmaster at Kewanna, replacing retired postmaster, Kenneth Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Baker, Rt. 1, Kewanna, will be honored at an open house Sunday, November 6, in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary. Baker and the former Elnora Yoder were married November 11, 1938 in Delphi. The event will be hosted by their children and grandchildren.

Robert B. Wingerter, Zionsville, has been named a tax partner of Arthur Young & Co. Wingerter joined the accounting firm in 1976. He was promoted to principal in 1986. Robert is married to the former Deborah Ann Waidner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waidner of Mishawaka and Lake Bruce.

Lisa Jana has pledged Delta Delta Delta sorority following rush functions at Ball State University in Muncie. Lisa, a Rochester High School graduate, is the daughter of Ron and Virginia Jana, Rt. 1, Kewanna.

TEN YEARS AGO November 5, 1998

The Kewanna branch of the Indiana Lawrence Bank was robbed at gun point Friday morning. This is the second time in a little over a year that the bank has been robbed.

Republican Roy Calvert defeated Democrat Richard McLochlin for county sheriff Tuesday. It was McLochlin's second bid to return to the sheriff's office.

Dr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Hoover of Washington, Illinois, are the parents of a daughter born October 30. The baby weighed 6 pounds and 9 1/2 ounces, was 19 inches long and has been named Ellenor Jae. The paternal grandparents are George and Pat Hoover of Rochester. Lois Kumler of here is the baby's paternal great-grandmother.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, November 4, at Frain Mortuary in Winamac for former Kewanna resident, Larry Hurley of Winamac.

The local library has a new look these days. Monday, the two tall evergreens which stood as sentinels in front of the library for years were taken down. The trees had grown so large that they were damaging not only the mortar and bricks but the tile roof as well.

ONE YEAR AGO November 1, 2007

Lawrence and Mary Jane Perry, Kewanna, will observe their 65th wedding anniversary Saturday, November 3. Perry and the former Mary Jane Brucker were married in 1942 at St. Anne Catholic Church, Monterey.

Mathilda Lamb returned to Indiana late in the week after spending several days in Mobile, Alabama. She had accompanied Judy Lamb and Karen Gudorf to the home of Tuck and Joyce Camia.

Leonard and Nancy Evers attended a party Friday evening in celebration of their granddaughter Amanda Evers' third birthday.

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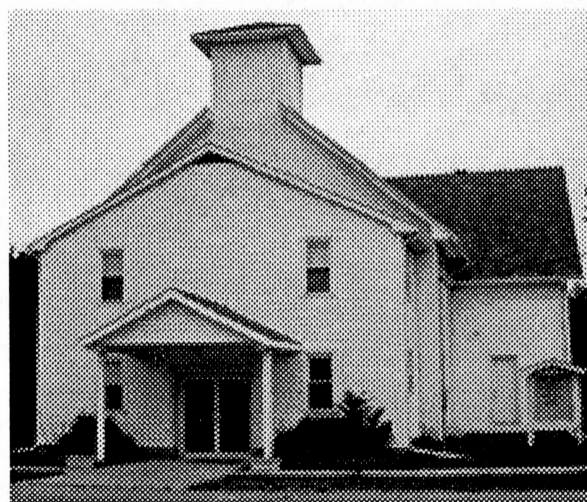
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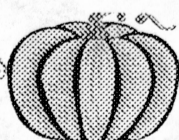
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Indiana State Fairgrounds Upcoming Events

Christmas Gift & Hobby Show: Nov. 5 - 9 in the West Pavilion. Hours: Wed. - Sat. 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Sun. 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Admission: \$8; \$6 seniors; children 12 and younger free; discount tickets available at Marsh Supermarkets. Contact: HIS Show Productions (317) 576-9933.

Great Indy Pet Expo: Nov. 8 - 9 in the Northwest Pavilion. Hours: Sat. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Sun. 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission: \$6; \$3 children 6 - 12; children 5 and younger free. Contact: Cathy Erickson (515) 778-4762 or www.GreatIndyPetExpo.com.

Midwest Reptile Show: Nov. 8 - 9 in the Ag/Hort Building. Hours: Sat. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Sun. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission: \$5; children 8 and younger free. Contact: Brian Hahn (317) 899-1599

www.midwestreptile.com.

Fall Indiana Golf Show: Nov. 14 - 16 in the Toyota Blue Ribbon Pavilion. Hours: Fri. 3 to 9 p.m.; Sat. 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Sun. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Admission: \$10; \$8 for seniors on Friday only. Contact: All American Exhibitions (317) 578-3011 or www.allamericanexhibitions.com.

Enterprise Car Sale: Nov. 15 in the Champions Pavilion. Hours: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission: free. Contact Danielle Fedor: (317) 507-1739.

International Festival: Nov. 20 - 23 in the West Pavilion. Hours: schools - Thurs. & Fri. 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.; general public - Fri. 2 to 9 p.m.; Sat. 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Sun. noon to 6 p.m. Admission: \$7 in advance; \$9 at door; \$6 children ages 6-12. Contact: Promotion Co. (317) 236-6515 or www.familyevents.com.

Live Nation Concert featuring Staind, Seether & Papa Roach - Nov. 23 in the Pepsi Coliseum. Doors open at 5:30 p.m.; concert begins at 6:30 p.m. Admission: \$39.50 Floor General Admission; \$35 General Admission. Contact: www.LiveNation.com.

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To Reserve the Fire Department Community Room - Call Bev Baldwin at (574) 653-2622 Evenings +++++

EASTERN PULASKI MENU

November 10 - 14

Elementary Breakfast

Monday - Cereal bar, string cheese, juice and milk

Tuesday - French toast with syrup, juice and milk

Wednesday - Breakfast pizza, juice and milk

Thursday - Waffle, juice and milk

Friday - Sausage pancake, juice and milk

Elementary Lunch

Monday - Cheese pizza, baby carrots with dip, applesauce, cookie and milk

Tuesday - Chicken leg, scalloped potatoes, strawberry cup, peanut butter sandwich and milk

Wednesday - Cheeseburger sandwich, seasoned fries, banana, cake and milk

Thursday - Tacos, lettuce, cheese, peach crisp and milk

Friday - Cheese breadstick, beef

vegetable soup, oyster crackers, pineapple and milk

Middle/High School Lunch

Monday - Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, cinnamon roll, mixed fruit, and milk. Choice - salad bar

Tuesday - Chili soup with crackers, peanut butter sandwich, pickle spear, orange juice cup and milk. Choice - salad bar

Wednesday - Sub sandwich, potatoes, pears, cookie and milk. Choice - salad bar

Thursday - Cheeseburger sandwich, potatoes, peaches, cookie and milk. Choice - salad bar

Friday - Hard or soft shell tacos with salsa, lettuce & cheese, apple crisp and milk. Choice - potato bar

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Pulaski Memorial Hospital Calendar

The Multiple Sclerosis Support Group will meet November 8 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in the

PMH board room. This group will focus on sharing experiences and positive solutions for dealing with MS. Patients, families and caregivers and all welcome. For more information, call Lori Semrau at 579-946-2157 Monday, Wednesday or Friday.

Abused? Home shouldn't hurt. Call the crisis center at 1-800-933-0374, 24 hours a day. The crisis center offers emergency shelter, complete confidentiality, support groups, and crisis intervention. The staff acts on behalf of the client with service agencies, serving Jasper, Newton and Pulaski counties.

There is a walk-in immunization clinic from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Healthy Family Office on the third floor of the Pulaski County Building in Winamac. Vaccines available include DTaP, EIPV, Hib, Hep B, MMR and Td. Please bring any previous immunization records. Call 574-946-6071 for more information.

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COMPANY NAME: General Insurance Company of America ADDRESS: 1001 Fourth Avenue CITY, STATE ZIPCODE: Seattle, WA 98154 ORGANIZED UNDER STATE OF Washington CONTACT PERSON: Blake Fulton		FEIN: 91-0123190 PHONE: 206-545-5000	NAIC CODE: 24732 EMAIL: bful@saefco.com
ASSETS OF COMPANY			
Bonds (Schedule D)	\$	1,552,497,064	(Nearest dollar)
Stocks (Schedule D)	\$	327,682,955	
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate (Schedule B)	\$	0	
Real Estate (Schedule A)	\$	0	
Cash & Short Term Investments (Schedule DA & E)	\$	25,395,714	
Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums	\$	327,185,915	
Other assets	\$	199,612,134	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	2,432,373,782	
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS			
Reserve for Losses	\$	878,701,037	
Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses	\$	209,208,686	
Reserve for Unearned Premiums	\$	507,766,123	
Reserve for Taxes	\$	7,067,378	
All Other Liabilities	\$	235,283,182	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$	1,838,026,406	
Special Surplus Funds	\$	0	
Capital Stock	\$	5,000,000	
Gross Paid in and Contributed Surplus	\$	170,891,058	
Unassigned Surplus	\$	418,456,318	
Surplus as regards Policyholders	\$	594,347,376	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS	\$	2,432,373,782	
Signature: <i>Paula R Reynolds</i> Signature: <i>Stephanie Daley-Watson</i>			
Paula Gail Rosput Reynolds (Print Name) President		Stephanie Gayle Daley-Watson (Print Name) Secretary	

COMPANY NAME: Safeco Insurance Company of America ADDRESS: 1001 Fourth Avenue CITY, STATE ZIPCODE: Seattle, WA 98154 ORGANIZED UNDER STATE OF Washington CONTACT PERSON: Blake Fulton		FEIN: 91-0742148 PHONE: 206-545-5000	NAIC CODE: 24740 EMAIL: bful@saefco.com
ASSETS OF COMPANY			
Bonds (Schedule D)	\$	2,495,439,354	(Nearest dollar)
Stocks (Schedule D)	\$	499,235,954	
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate (Schedule B)	\$	0	
Real Estate (Schedule A)	\$	0	
Cash & Short Term Investments (Schedule DA & E)	\$	53,483,126	
Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums	\$	625,553,621	
Other assets	\$	393,536,062	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	4,067,248,117	
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS			
Reserve for Losses	\$	1,260,744,966	
Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses	\$	300,168,984	
Reserve for Unearned Premiums	\$	728,534,002	
Reserve for Taxes	\$	10,285,388	
All Other Liabilities	\$	928,904,083	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$	3,228,637,423	
Special Surplus Funds	\$	226,334	
Capital Stock	\$	5,000,000	
Gross Paid in and Contributed Surplus	\$	275,002,873	
Unassigned Surplus	\$	558,381,487	
Surplus as regards Policyholders	\$	838,610,694	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS	\$	4,067,248,117	
Signature: <i>Paula R Reynolds</i> Signature: <i>Stephanie Daley-Watson</i>			
Paula Gail Rosput Reynolds (Print Name) President		Stephanie Gayle Daley-Watson (Print Name) Secretary	

Kewanna/Union Township Public Library News...

New books at the library:

ADULTS:

Christian General Fiction
Hometown Favorites by Bill Barton; *House of Wolves* (an August Adams adventure) by Matt Bronleewe; *Kingdom Come* by Larry Burkett and T. Davis Bunn; *All I Have to Give* by Melody Carlson; *Dogwood* by Chris Fabry; *Whirlwind* by Cathy Marie Hake; *Love Starts with Elle* by Rachel Hauck; and *Eyes to See Vol. 2* edited by Bret Lott.

Large Print Christian Fiction—
A Promise to Believe In (#1 of the Brides of Gallant County series) by Tracie Peterson and *An Unexpected Love* (#2 of The Broadmoor Legacy series) by Tracie Peterson and Judith Miller.
Large Print Nonfiction *Hot, Flat, and Crowded* by Thomas L. Friedman.

JUVENILES:

Picture Books— *The Close Shave* (from the Thomas The Tank Engine series) by Rev. W. Awdry; *The Little Yellow Leaf* by Carin Berger; and *Baron von Baddie and The Ice Ray Incident* by George McClements.

Teenage Christian Fiction
Runaway and Mad Dog (#1 and #2 of the Starlight Animal Rescue series) by Dandi Daley Mackall; *A Promise and A Rainbow* (#3 of The Double Dutch Club series) by Mabel Elizabeth Singletary; *The First Escape* (#1 of The Doppie Ganger Chronicles series) by G.P. Taylor; and *The Creek War and The Risky Reunion* (#3 and #4 of the Kidsboro series) by Marshal Younger.

Youth Nonfiction— (from the Torque: Armed Forces series) *United States Army, United States Coast Guard, United States Marine Corps* and *United States*

Navy by Jack David and *United States Air Force* by Derek Zobel.

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Division of Aging Urges TV Viewers to Prepare for Digital Transition

The Family and Social Services Administration's (FSSA) Division of Aging advises Hoosiers to begin preparing for the conversion to digital television (DTV). Currently, stations are broadcasting in digital and analog. However, after February 17, 2009, full-power television stations will broadcast in digital only. The DTV transition will affect those who watch free over-the-air television (through a rooftop antenna or "rabbit ears"). Those whose TVs contain digital tuners should be able to view digital over-the-air programming without the need for a digital-to-analog converter box.

"We want to encourage everyone to be ready for the DTV transition taking place on February 17, 2009," said Aging Director Megan Ornellas. "Before the switchover, it is important to ensure that your TV is digital-compatible to allow yourself time to purchase and install a converter box if it is not."

To assist consumers with this transition, a Digital-to-Analog Converter Box Coupon Program has been established. The program will be administered by the Department of Commerce's National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA). Every U. S. household is eligible to receive two coupons, worth \$40 each, toward the purchase of eligible digital-to-analog con-

verter boxes. Converter boxes are expected to cost between \$40 and \$70 each. It may take up to 12 weeks to receive the coupons, which expire 90 days after being mailed.

Digital broadcasting allows stations to offer improved picture and sound quality, in addition to multicasting, which enables several channels of programming to be offered at the same time. DTV will provide interactive video and data services that are not possible with analog technology and will provide consumers with more advanced wireless services. Another important benefit of the DTV transition is that it will free up valuable parts of the broadcast spectrum for public safety communications, such as police, fire departments, and rescue squads.

For more information on the Digital-to-Analog Converter Box Coupon Program, visit NTIA at www.dtv2009.gov or call 1-888-388-2009 (voice) or 1-877-530-2634 (TTY). For more information on the DTV transition, go to www.dtv.gov or call 1-888-225-5322.

For more information on FSSA, visit www.in.gov/fssa.

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New conservation incentives

USDA has announced that additional payment incentives are being provided through the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) to agricultural producers to encourage enhanced wetland and bottomland hardwood conservation. Included are practice, signing and soil rental rate incentives.

The 2007 Farm Bill provides \$25 billion to help states, communities, farmers and ranchers practice conservation. Those USDA conservation programs help reduce nutrient runoff, control erosion and sedimentation, protect and restore wetlands, enhance wildlife habitat, sequester carbon, improve air quality, manage livestock waste, and preserve farm and ranch land.

USDA estimates that in 2007, CRP in the Mississippi River Basin reduced nitrogen runoff by 295 million pounds, reduced phosphorus runoff by 66 million

pounds and reduced sedimentation by 100 million tons. In addition, the program practices protected and restored 1.2 million acres of wetlands, sequestered 12 million metric tons of carbon dioxide and enhanced wildlife habitat for migratory waterfowl and other important wildlife species such as the Louisiana black bear.

Wetlands conservation is a prominent feature of the CRP. The CRP includes general sign up, continuous sign up, Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program (CREP) and Farmable Wetlands Program (FWP). These initiatives target wetland restoration and bottomland timber establishment. Incentives are being added to encourage additional producer interest in these initiatives and are available for the CP23 Floodplain Wetlands Restoration, CP23A Non-floodplain Wetlands Restoration, CP31 Bottomland Timber Establishment on Wetlands, and CP37 Duck Nesting Habitat practices.

FSA county offices take offers for these CRP practices on a continuous sign-up basis, and the offers are automatically accepted provided the acreage and producer meet certain eligibility requirements. Under CRP, farmers and ranchers enroll eligible land in 10- to 15- year contracts with the CCC. FSA administers CRP on behalf of CCC. Participants plant appropriate cover such as grasses and trees in crop fields and along water bodies. These plantings help prevent soil and nutrients from running into regional waterways and affecting water quality. In addition to conserving soil and protecting water quality, the long-term vegetative cover also enhances wildlife habitat. It is estimated that CRP created habitat that led to a 30 percent increase in duck production in the prairie pothole region of the

country. CRP participants receive annual rental payments – generally based on weighted average dry-land cash rent and practice maintenance – plus up to 50 percent cost share to establish and manage conservation practices on the enrolled land. In addition, CRP participants restoring wetlands, establishing bottomland hardwood forests and creating duck nesting habitat can now receive a practice incentive payment (PIP) equal to 40 percent of the cost of installing the practice. A signing incentive payment (SIP) of \$100 per acre is made after the contract is approved. A soil rental rate incentive equal to 20 percent of the weighted average soil rental rate will be added to the annual rental payment.

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Power wheelchairs available

The Senior Wheels USA Program makes power wheelchairs available to senior citizens and the permanently disabled at no cost to the recipient, if they qualify.

The power wheelchairs are provided to those who can no longer walk safely, nor self-propel a manual wheelchair, and who meet the additional guidelines of the program.

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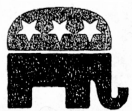
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COMPANY NAME: Safeco National Insurance Company	
ADDRESS: 1400 South Highway Drive	
CITY, STATE ZIP CODE: Fenton, Missouri 63026	
ORGANIZED UNDER STATE OF: Missouri	FEIN: 91-0885519 NAIC CODE: 24759
CONTACT PERSON: Blake Fulton	PHONE: 206-545-5000 EMAIL: bfulfult@safeco.com
ASSETS OF COMPANY	
	(Nearest dollar)
Bonds (Schedule D)	\$ 173,886,476
Stocks (Schedule D)	\$ 36,246,340
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate (Schedule B)	\$ 0
Real Estate (Schedule A)	\$ 0
Cash & Short Term Investments (Schedule DA & E)	\$ 8,420,974
Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums	\$ 28,450,948
Other assets	\$ 10,715,993
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 257,720,731
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Reserve for Losses	\$ 76,408,786
Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses	\$ 18,192,060
Reserve for Unearned Premiums	\$ 44,153,576
Reserve for Taxes	\$ 614,555
All Other Liabilities	\$ 19,852,406
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 159,221,383
Special Surplus Funds	\$ 0
Capital Stock	\$ 2,500,000
Gross Paid in and Contributed Surplus	\$ 21,000,000
Unassigned Surplus	\$ 74,999,348
Surplus as regards Policyholders	\$ 98,499,348
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS	\$ 257,720,731
<i>Paula Gail Rosput Reynolds</i>	<i>Stephanie Gayle Daley-Watson</i>
Paula Gail Rosput Reynolds	Stephanie Gayle Daley-Watson
(Print Name)	(Print Name)
President	Secretary

COMPANY NAME: First National Insurance Company	
ADDRESS: 1001 Fourth Avenue	
CITY, STATE ZIP CODE: Seattle, WA 98154	
ORGANIZED UNDER STATE OF: Washington	FEIN: 91-0742144 NAIC CODE: 24724
CONTACT PERSON: Blake Fulton	PHONE: 206-545-5000 EMAIL: bfulfult@safeco.com
ASSETS OF COMPANY	
	(Nearest dollar)
Bonds (Schedule D)	\$ 148,699,802
Stocks (Schedule D)	\$ 45,805,078
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate (Schedule B)	\$ 0
Real Estate (Schedule A)	\$ 0
Cash & Short Term Investments (Schedule DA & E)	\$ 2,992,283
Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums	\$ 28,450,948
Other assets	\$ 28,140,113
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 254,088,224
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Reserve for Losses	\$ 76,408,786
Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses	\$ 18,192,060
Reserve for Unearned Premiums	\$ 44,153,576
Reserve for Taxes	\$ 614,555
All Other Liabilities	\$ 39,903,639
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 179,272,616
Special Surplus Funds	\$ 0
Capital Stock	\$ 5,000,000
Gross Paid in and Contributed Surplus	\$ 581,836
Unassigned Surplus	\$ 69,233,772
Surplus as regards Policyholders	\$ 74,815,608
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS	\$ 254,088,224
<i>Paula Gail Rosput Reynolds</i>	<i>Stephanie Gayle Daley-Watson</i>
Paula Gail Rosput Reynolds	Stephanie Gayle Daley-Watson
(Print Name)	(Print Name)
President	Secretary



Fall Festival at First Baptist a success

Demetrius

The first annual Fall Festival at the First Baptist on the Main was the best ever. With over 300 in attendance, not one person choked on a hot dog, barfed up a burger, cut their tongue on a chip, or tripped over a chair. Matter-of-fact, the weather was perfect and the fellowship was out of this world! Sunday brought a lot of surprises; we had one of our most successful Sunday morning services to date. I am looking forward to meeting many more of you on the Mornings come.

I cannot hold back the praise due so many that helped to make Saturday the success that it was.

I will start with our wonderful newspaper, "The Observer" and its editors, Mr. and Mrs. Good, for being the most helpful and objective news people I have ever

met. Thanks!

Next is "The Cotton Candy King of Kewanna", Verl Kreamer. I believe he spun up over 300 bags of cotton candy and handed them out to all who attended. Thanks! Also to Kenny, Deb and "Mom" Weekly and the mules of Weekly's Ponderosa for supplying the old fashioned wagon rides through the streets of Kewanna, supporting the work of First Baptist on the Main. Thanks!

Again, thanks to the Kewanna Fire Department for supplying the ice that enabled us to hand out over 250 snow cones and cool the pop and water, Fire Chief Larry Baldwin and his wife for bringing a "big red fire truck" over to the church. I believe it was one of the biggest hits; kids crawling all through the truck asking tons of questions. Larry, you have nerves of steel. Thanks!

There were many others who chipped in and helped out with

setting up, running booths, tearing down, and cleaning up. Again, I want to say "thanks"! If not now or the near future, eternity will tell the stories of the difference you have made through your support of First Baptist on the Main.

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JAMES F. TALBOTT VFW POST #1121

November Activities

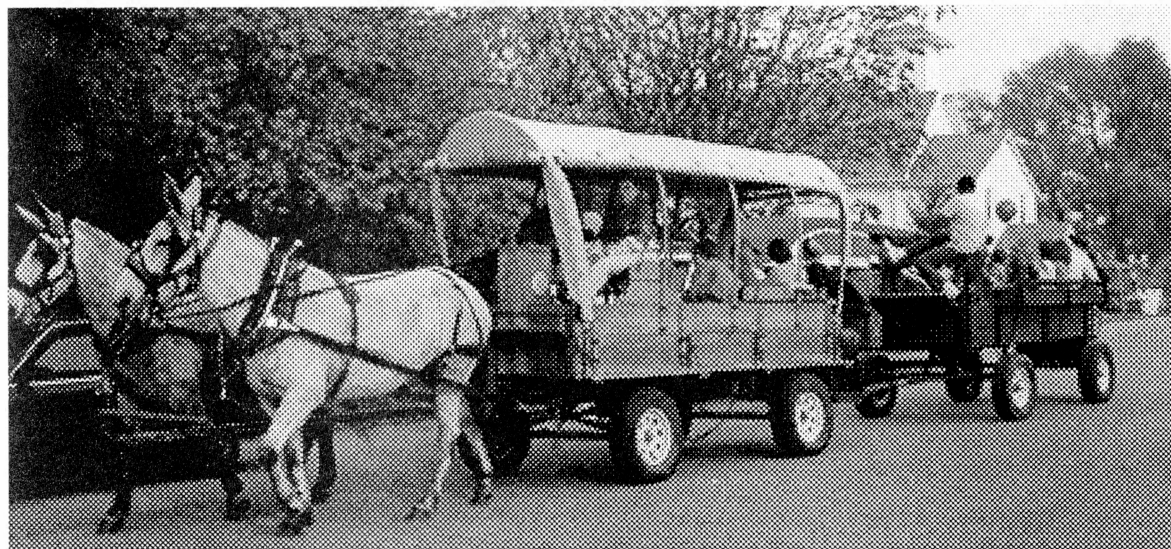
Friday, November 7 – Fish and chicken fry, 4-8 p.m. \$7 adults; \$4.50 children 6-11; free for children age five and under

Tuesday, November 11 – balloons, \$1. Pork sandwich and chips

Sunday, November 16 – District meeting at Warsaw, 2 p.m.

Wednesday, November 19 – Ladies meeting, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, November 25 – Men's Auxiliary meeting, 6:30 p.m.



Sunday, November 30 – Open Sunday.

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CASTON MENU November 10-14

Breakfast

Choice each day with fruit or juice and milk: cereal and toast; sausage/cheese bun; ham/cheese bun; or toaster pastry

Lunch

Monday – Corn dog, tater tots, green beans, peanut butter cookie and milk. Comet Café – French bread pizza

Tuesday – Soft tacos with meat and cheese, lettuce & tomato, sherbet, chocolate chip cookie and milk. Comet Café – cheese-stuffed breadsticks

Wednesday – Pizza, broccoli with cheese, pretzels, applesauce and milk. Comet Café – chicken filet sandwich and curly fries

Thursday – Barbecue sandwich, seasoned potatoes, pineapple, sugar cookie and milk. Comet Café – hot ham and cheese sub and baked barbecue chips

Friday – Cheeseburger, seasoned potato wedges, carrots & ranch dip, and milk. Comet Café – baked potato bar

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CASTON SPORTS CALENDAR

Tuesday, Nov. 11 – Boys 6AB basketball at West Central, 6 p.m.; girls 6 AB basketball at West Central, 6 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 13 – Boys 7th grade basketball, 5:30 p.m.; girls 6 AB basketball with Pioneer at home, 5:30 p.m.; boys 8th grade basketball at Culver, 6 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 14 – Girls JV and varsity basketball with Wabash at home, 6 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 15 – Boys 5 AB CHS tourney at Caston, 9 a.m.; boys 6 AB MWC tourney at Frontier, 10 a.m.; girls 6 AB MWC tourney at Frontier, 10 a.m.; girls JV and varsity basketball vs. North Miami at home, 6 p.m.

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Aerobics for women

Women in the community, age 20 and over, are welcome to take part in an aerobics session on Tuesday evenings in the annex of The Kewanna United Methodist Church. The 30-minute workout begins at 7 p.m. and there is no charge. Childcare is also provided. For more information, contact Mary Chew at 574-702-3098.

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November 11, 2008

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 ADDRESS: 17 State Street, 29th Floor
 CITY, STATE ZIP CODE: New York New York 10004
 ORGANIZED UNDER STATE OF DE FEIN: 13-5150451 NAIC CODE: 25054
 CONTACT PERSON: Peter Hamilton Lovell PHONE: 203-977-8082 EMAIL: plovel@hudsongroup.com

ASSETS OF COMPANY	
	(Nearest dollar)
Bonds (Schedule D)	\$ 233,628,449.00
Stocks (Schedule D)	\$ 0
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate (Schedule B)	\$ 0
Real Estate (Schedule A)	\$ 0
Cash & Short Term Investments (Schedule DA & E)	\$ 62,035,144.00
Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums	\$ 43,216,272.00
Other assets	\$ 51,886,494.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 390,766,359.00

LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Reserve for Losses	\$ 146,780,677.00
Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses	\$ 8,665,334.00
Reserve for Unearned Premiums	\$ 80,868,258.00
Reserve for Taxes	\$ 551,503.00
All Other Liabilities	\$ 33,797,182
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 270,662,954.00

Special Surplus Funds	\$ 7,500,000.00
Capital Stock	\$ 82,225,000.00
Gross Paid in and Contributed Surplus	\$ 30,378,405.00
Unassigned Surplus	\$ 120,103,405.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS	\$ 390,766,359.00

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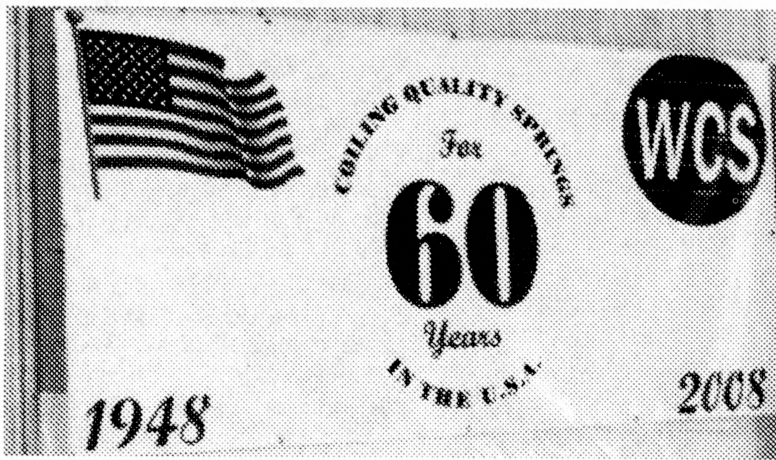
COMPANY NAME: Wesco Insurance Company
 ADDRESS: 59 Maiden Lane, 6th Floor
 CITY, STATE ZIP CODE: New York, NY 10038
 ORGANIZED UNDER STATE OF Delaware FEIN: 85-0165753 NAIC CODE: 25011
 CONTACT PERSON: Jennifer Liotta-Harris PHONE: (216) 328-6124 EMAIL: jliotta@amtrustgroup.com

ASSETS OF COMPANY	
	(Nearest dollar)
Bonds (Schedule D)	\$ 48,232,946.00
Stocks (Schedule D)	\$ 0.00
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate (Schedule B)	\$ 0.00
Real Estate (Schedule A)	\$ 0.00
Cash & Short Term Investments (Schedule DA & E)	\$ 17,106,193.00
Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums	\$ 28,642,176.00
Other assets	\$ 2,750,572.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 96,731,887.00

LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS	
Reserve for Losses	\$ 2,421,626.00
Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses	\$ 204,197.00
Reserve for Unearned Premiums	\$ 10,068,424.00
Reserve for Taxes	\$ 0.00
All Other Liabilities	\$ 52,213,285.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 64,907,532.00

Special Surplus Funds	\$ 5,000,000.00
Capital Stock	\$ 15,480,603.00
Gross Paid in and Contributed Surplus	\$ 11,343,752.00
Unassigned Surplus	\$ 31,824,355.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS	\$ 96,731,887.00

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WCS celebrates 60 years

Winamac Coil Spring, Inc., Kewanna, celebrated hits 60th anniversary Thursday, September 25, with an employee appreciation dinner catered by Nelson's of Wakarusa. The event was held at the Kewanna-Union Township Fire Station.

The firm was founded in 1948 by Walter and Theresa Pesaresi and five other investors in Winamac. The business grew steadily and several other business partners came and went. In August 1957, the business moved to Kewanna. The company celebrated its 50th year of business in Kewanna last year, 2007. The town and factory have enjoyed a wonderful relationship throughout this time.

The celebration dinner was opened with prayer by Gene Huber, Sr. and a welcome by Joe Pesaresi. After the meal, Dan Pesaresi, Sr. introduced the rest of the founding family present, including Barb Huber, Vivian Pesaresi, Terry Pesaresi, Gene Allen and Sherri Huber, Tony Pesaresi and Andy Pesaresi. Dan also introduced Gene Sr.'s dad, Eugene Huber, who joined the group for the celebration.

Joe Pesaresi, company president, presented some very interesting highlights on employee data and 21 special guests were honored.

In 1964, sales were \$531,000 with 23 total employees; two of them, Dan Pesaresi, Sr. and Alvin Parish, are still with the company.

The company recorded its first \$1 million in sales in 1971 with an employee roll of 31. Gene Huber, Sr., Joe Pesaresi, Steve Wilson, John Baker, Doc Russell and Jim Price are current employees who were with the company in that momentous year.

The records for 1978 show sales of \$3 million produced by 59 employees, which included Bob Clyde, Ernie Lebo, Darrell White, Rob Fitterling, Joe Hott, Chuck Redlin, Randy Lowry, Sandy Sutton, Eric Colvin and Rick Fox — all of whom still work at WCS.

In the year of 1983, with an employment of 66 persons, the company achieved \$4 million in sales. Current employees present during 1983 are Mick Brown, Sven Johnson and Kelly Smith.

The above 21 employees who have over 25 years experience with WCS have a combined total of 731 years of active employment with Winamac Coil Spring. Current employment at Winamac Coil number 158 valued associates.

Dan and Joe Pesaresi and Gene and Barb Huber were called to the front of those assembled and presented with a fully restored Sleeper & Hartley #1 coiler, which was one, if not the original coiler, that Walt Pesaresi began operations with. The restoration was done in a secretive manner by Alvin and Mark Parish, Tony Pesaresi, Jay Cunningham and Dave Penicaro.

Needless to say, this overwhelming gesture brought tears and goose-bumps to all the Pesaresi and Huber family members. It will have a place of honor at Winamac Coil Spring.

Joe Pesaresi then mentioned that he and several other employees had traveled to Connecticut the previous week to take possession of the company's newest machine, which was delivered September 30. The cost, size and capability of this new machine are awe-inspiring and represent an optimistic investment into the future of WCS.

The WCS owners presented gift bags to all employees that included an anniversary t-shirt, coasters, Tervis tumblers and a note of appreciation.

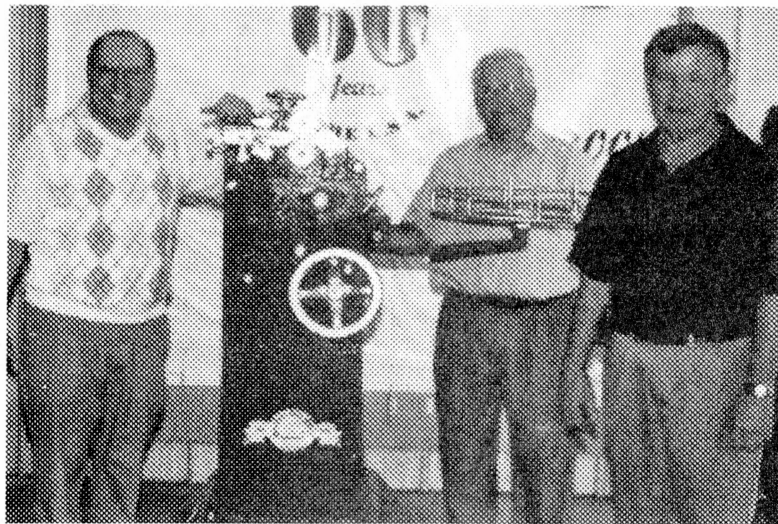
Joe Pesaresi closed the dinner celebration at 2:30 p.m. with the announcement that all employees were dismissed early and the plant and office closed the following day also so they and their families could enjoy time with their families and the Kewanna Fall Festival all weekend. This drew a standing ovation of appreciation.



Restored S&H coiler with those responsible for the restoration, Alvin Parish, Jay Cunningham,

Dave Penicaro, Tony Pesaresi and Mark Parish.

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Dan Pesaresi, Sr., Gene Huber, Sr. and Joe Pesaresi with the machine that started it all in 1948.

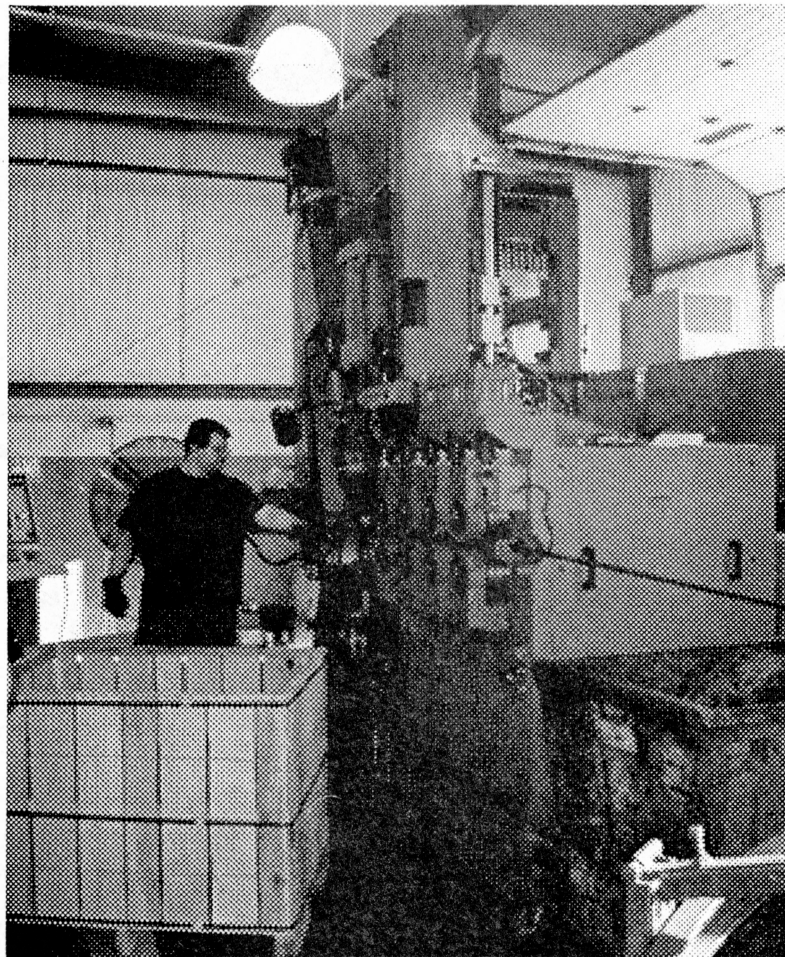
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We can honestly say that our employees are still our greatest asset and we appreciate and honor our most tenured ones as well as our newest hires. We thank our employees for the wonderful gift of Walt's fully restored original S&H coiler which they dedicated to us.

We want to extend a special thanks to the Town of Kewanna, Kewanna-Union Township Fire

Department, Kewanna Police Department, the Kewanna Observer, and all elected town officials who have served and so graciously shown tremendous love and kindness these past 50 years in cooperation with the WCS team. Special thanks and recognition is given to Joe Good of The Observer who has been our official photographer for these 50 years!

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Deer present unique challenges to area drivers

The high season for car crashes with deer is October through December. Each year, they account for more than 150 human and nearly one and a half million deer fatalities. Experts attribute the problem to the combination of deer mating and migration habits and shortened daylight hours.

Here are a few basic cautions for drivers:

Scan a wide swath of the roadside. Slow down when approaching a deer standing near the side of a road and be prepared. If startled, the deer can bolt onto the road and into your path. If necessary, honk your horn and flash your lights to try to scare it away.

Be alert for more deer than you may see at the moment. Where there is one deer, there are often more nearby.

In many instances, it is best not to swerve around the deer since the deer may move in the same direction. You may also inadvertently hit another vehicle, or go off onto a dangerous shoulder. Unless certain of those road factors, it is often best to simply brake and continue in your lane of traffic.

Be particularly careful at dawn and dusk and when driving either over a hill or around a curve, where visibility is limited. Use your high beams to give you a greater area of visibility and allow you to see the deer's eyes sooner.

Deer whistles or ultrasonic deer avoidance systems attached to vehicles have never been proven to work by independent studies and may give drivers a false sense of security.

Take deer crossing signs seriously, particularly those installed specifically for this time of year. Be particularly cautious

in wooded and agricultural areas where there is little distance between the road and the woods or fields.

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Small Business Counseling

Fulton County small business owners and entrepreneurs can learn more about operating their own business by attending confidential counseling sessions provided by the regional Small Business Development Center. Through an arrangement with the Fulton Economic Development Corporation (FEDCO), this service is free to Fulton County residents. A business counselor can help current and prospective business owners with business plans, marketing, arranging financing and growing a business.

A counselor is available the second Wednesday of each month at the FEDCO office, 822 Main Street, Rochester. To schedule an appointment for November 12 call 574-223-3326.

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Employee appreciation dinner



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EARTH TALK

Questions & Answers About Our Environment

Dear EarthTalk: I just read an article that said air fresheners contain chemicals that can cause health problems when inhaled. Are scented candles any better? -- Leanne Chacksfield, Cincinnati, OH

Like most air fresheners, many scented candles contain and release phthalates, potentially harmful chemicals that have been linked to the disruption of hormonal systems and other health problems in people exposed to them. Burning candles can also emit small amounts of acetaldehyde, formaldehyde and naphthalene, organic chemicals that are also potentially harmful and that can leave nasty black soot deposits on floors and other surfaces.

According to Pamela Lundquist of the nonprofit Children's Health Environmental Coalition (CHEC), this black soot deposit "is primarily made up of elemental carbon, but may also contain phthalates and volatile organic compounds like benzene and toluene, which can cause cancer and neurological damage." Children can easily ingest these

chemicals if their hands have been wandering and end up in their mouths. The chemicals can lodge deep in the lungs, disrupting the lower respiratory tract, exacerbating existing problems like asthma, and potentially causing other longer term breathing problems.

Despite laws against it, many candlewicks still contain lead, long linked to impaired learning and brain damage in children. Lead dispersed from burning candles can be breathed in and also constitute part of the dreaded black soot deposit. Candles with lead-containing wicks are on the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission ban/recall list now (thanks to efforts by nonprofits like U.S. Public Interest Research Group (PIRG), but many are still out there on store shelves. Consumers can avoid them by sticking to candles with soft cotton wicks, not stiff, metal ones.

Eco-conscious candle burners should also avoid paraffin-based candles, which are made from waxes derived in the process of refining crude oil and literally consist of fossil-fuel generating hydrocarbons. Unfortunately, the vast majority of commercially available candles are made from paraffin, though many alternatives are now available.

Soy-based candles are a popular choice, as they are made from

plant waste and emit less soot than the paraffin variety. Beeswax candles are another nice alternative, as well, especially if you can pick them up at a local farmers' market. For scented or aromatherapy candles, look for varieties that use only pure plant essential oils instead of synthetic chemicals with unintelligible names. Some leader makers of Earth- and people-friendly candles include Blue Corn Naturals, Honeyflow Farm, Vermont Soy Candles and Aveda. **CONTACTS:** Children's Health Environmental Coalition (CHEC), www.chechnet.org; Blue Corn Naturals, www.bluecornnaturals.com; Honeyflow Farm, www.honeyflowfarm.com; Vermont Soy Candles, www.vermontsoycandles.com; Aveda, www.aveda.com.

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Leaf burning ban

Kewanna residents are reminded that burning of leaves during the months of October and November is unlawful. Leaves should be raked to the edge of the street where town employees will pick them up. Leaf pick up will begin as soon as the leaves start coming down in a greater volume.

Persons violating this ordinance will receive a warning for the first offense. A second and subsequent offense will result in fines ranging from \$25-\$100.

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Public Notice

Notice To Taxpayers

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of Fulton County, Indiana, that a meeting of the County Council of Fulton County, Indiana, will be held at the County Office Building in Rochester, Indiana on the 18th day of November, 2008, at 6:30 P.M. for the following additional appropriations:

CUM CAP DEVELOPMENT:
 Sheriff Vehicles.....\$11,900.00
 Total Cum Cap.....\$11,900.00
 Taxpayers appearing at the meeting shall have a right to be heard. The additional appropriations as finally made will be referred to the State Board of Tax Commissioners. The board will make a written determination as to the sufficiency of funds to support the appropriations made within (15) days of receipt of a certified copy of the action taken.

ATTEST:
 Denise J. Chandler
 Fulton County Auditor

Pub. 11/6/08

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COUNTY GENERAL:
 Jail-Other-Utilities.....\$ 8,000.00
 Total County General.....\$ 8,000.00
FULTON CO HOST FEE:
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 Service.....\$200,000.00
 Total Host Fee.....\$200,000.00
CREDIT:
 Misc. Disbursements (MVH
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 Total CREDIT.....\$100,000.00
RAINY DAY:
 Superior Court, Computer
 Hardware & Maint.....\$ 5,657.00
 Total Rainy Day:.....\$ 5,657.00
FAMILY & CHILDREN:
 Care of Wards, Foster Homes.....\$130,000.00
 Care of Wards, Institutions.....\$225,000.00
 Preservation Services.....\$ 95,000.00

FULTON COUNTY CRIME STOPPERS



November 3rd, 2008

CRIME / BURGLARY
 CASE NUMBER: 25-405-08
 LOCATION: 5350 Mt. Zion Road
 Rochester, Indiana

SUMMARY: Between 9-20-08 and 9-22-08 the suspect(s) made entry to the victim's barn and committed the theft of a 2004 Honda CRF150 Motorcycle. If you have any information on this case or any other crime call Crime Stoppers. You could earn up to \$1,000.00 reward if the information leads to an arrest or indictment. Callers do not have to reveal their names and all calls are confidential.

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Care of Wards, Inst/probation...\$ 50,000.00
 Total Family & Children.....\$500,000.00
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NOTICE TO FREEHOLDERS OF MILL CREEK CONSERVANCY DISTRICT

You are hereby notified that the term of office of the Director representing Area One, presently represented by Jerry Brown, will expire on the date of ensuing Annual Meeting of the District in January, 2009.

Nominations to fill the vacancy on the Board, resulting from such expiring term, are hereby invited. The person serving Area One shall be elected for a term of four years.

Each nomination must be submitted to the office of the District at 1252 E. 100 S., Rochester, IN 46975, in writing, prior to the first day of December, 2008 and must be signed by a least five freeholders from the area proposed to be represented by such nominee. Such nominations may be considered as having been submitted prior to said date if properly addressed and have attached sufficient postage and being postmarked prior to said date.

Each nominee must be a resident freeholder, or an office or nominee of a corporate freeholder of the area for which he is

nominated and must have knowledge and experience in the matters pertaining to the development of the District.

Board of Supervisors
 Mill Creek Conservancy District
 Pub. 11/6/08 William Fred, Secretary

STATE OF INDIANA COUNTY OF FULTON

IN THE FULTON CIRCUIT COURT ANNUAL TERM, 2008
 CAUSE NO. 25C01-0810-ES-77

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION OF THE ESTATE OF VIVIAN MAY (Holcomb) MERSCH, DECEASED

Notice of Administration
 Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of Oct., 2008, Robert Joseph Rude and Bart V. Mersch were appointed personal representatives of the estate of Vivian May (Holcomb) Mersch, deceased, who died on the 24th day of October, 2008.

All persons having claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the same in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.

Dated at Rochester, Indiana, this 31st day of Oct., 2008.

Letty McKee, Clerk of the Circuit Court Of Fulton County, Indiana

Alan F. Hizer, Attorney at Law
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Shirley Bussert

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Town & Country Chatter...

by: Julie Brown (574) 653-2451

Don and Pauline Scales had company one evening recently. Stopping by for a visit and to help Pauline clean one of the closets, was their great-granddaughter, Ally Wiese.

Florence Hogan had visitors during the week. Stopping by for family chats were her children, Alice White of Winamac and Mike Hogan.

Pauline and Don Scales were in Ft. Wayne Wednesday, Oct. 29. They met their daughter, Barb Grandstaff of Kendallville, for lunch. Afterward they took care of some errands before meeting their daughter, Ellen Heiden of Columbia City, for a visit.

Lauren and Amanda Evers arrived Friday, Oct. 31, for a weekend visit with their grandmother, Lori Leach.

Florence Hogan had company Friday. Coming for a visit and to help pass out candy to the trick-or-treaters was her daughter, Janice Graham. The ladies treated about 150 goblins, witches, monsters, zombies, princesses, and other strange and eerie folk during the evening.

Barb Hieber and JoAnn Tsoodle had working company Saturday, Nov. 1. Arriving early in the day to tackle several heavy chores was Barb's grandson, Joe Wilk of LaPorte. They spent the day putting away the lawn furniture and clearing out some of the shrubbery.

Earl and Mary Bangel had working visitors over the weekend. Coming to help with the harvest and celebrate Earl's birthday a little early were their children and grandchildren Linda Bangel of Schoolcraft, Michigan; Darel Bangel and Sara of Ft. Wayne; Louis and Jean Bangel and Joyce of Winamac; and Bruce and Theresa Bangel, Kevin and Rob of Indianapolis.

Jon and Barb Gast traveled to Winamac Saturday. They enjoyed a visit with Jon's parents, Stuart and Rachel Gast.

Linda Garner spent part of Saturday and Sunday tackling several chores at the home of her parents, Don and Pauline Scales.

Ruth Cogdill welcomed two visitors Saturday afternoon. The first to stop in and see her was her son, Tim Cogdill of Macy. While

he was still there, Ruth's brother, David Norris, arrived. They enjoyed the family get-together on the beautiful, autumn afternoon.

Tom and Linda Garner had company Sunday, Nov. 2. Coming over in the afternoon for a family chat were their son and daughter-in-law, T.J. and Ashley Garner.

Helen Whiteman had late day callers Sunday. Arriving in the evening for an overnight visit was her granddaughter and great-granddaughters, Andrea Hook, Whitney and Rylee of Winamac.

Hugh and Maryellyn Tennent had visitors Monday, Nov. 3. Coming up for a pleasant afternoon chat were their niece and her husband, Pam and Russ Dance of Kokomo.

Friday guests of Evelyn Markley were Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Bitterling, Kaleb and Madelyn, of Greenwood, Judy Markley, Winamac, Jerry Bitterling, Logansport, and Julie Birge and Lacey and Lillix Cook, all of Kewanna. Florence Bauman was

a Thursday guest in the Markley home as was Sandy McPherson.

Sunday evening guests of Shirley Bussert were Andy, Lori and Andrea Kamp, Ashley Morris, Bryan and Lynda Guard, Mark, Connie and Luke Ingram, Amber and Jack Despot and children, Diana Lowery, Kirk Ingram, Mary Williams, Wade Bussert and Moo Ingram. Visitors in the same home last week included Wiladean DeWitt of Oxnard, California, Wilma Lytle of Logansport, Lori Kamp, Moo Ingram, Terry Troutman, Bev Ton, Ed Murhling and Joy Hornberger.

Those persons who will be having birthdays next week (so please remember to give them your best regards) are: Betty Doty and Lillie Hines, Nov. 9; Nicole Carpenter, Karen Evers, John

Lewark and Connor Sommers, Nov. 10; Phillip Eastwood, Mildred McColley, Steve Rude, Taylor Wilson and Becky Zellers, Nov. 11; David Evers and Penny Keyser, Nov. 12; Joan Gallagher and Sue Smith, Nov. 13; Kayci Cunningham, Kara Sanders and Molly Ann Stoudt, Nov. 14; and Autumn Mikesell and Stacy Ritter, Nov. 15.

There are three couples who will be celebrating their wedding anniversaries next week: Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Baker, Nov. 11; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shroder, Nov. 12; and Dr. and Mrs. Dennis Halterman, Nov. 14.

Pancake and sausage breakfast at Star City

The Star City sesquicentennial committee will serve a pancake and sausage breakfast from 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Sunday, November 9, at the Star City community building. The cost of the meal is \$4 in advance or \$4.50 at the door. Children age six and under may eat free. Homemade bake goods will also be for sale.

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- 05 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX GT 4dr 3800 V6, heated leather, pwr sunroof, chromed whls,20k \$14995
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- 03 CHEVY IMPALA sedan V6, 6 pass, pwr driver seat, pwr wind/locks, remote, CD player, 85k \$7495
- 03 BUICK LeSABRE CUSTOM 3800 V6, pwr seat, wind/locks, remote, CD, alum wheels, 82k \$7995
- 02 CHRYSLER 300M Special pwr leather seats, pwr w/l, remote, chrome wheels, sunroof, 42k \$8995
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